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OVERSEA TRADE

SOUTH AUSTRALIA

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This bulletin shows direct trade between overseas countries and South Australia. INTERSTATE TRADE AND OVERSEA TRADE VIA OTHER STATES IS EXCLUDED. The figures are preliminary and subject to revision.

Because of the wide variety of imports they have in many cases been grouped under headings indicative of main items in the group, e.g. apparel and attire, this makes it impracticable to publish a table of quantities as there is often no appropriate single unit of quantity. For similar reasons the first table excludes a number of export items.

VALUE of exports is expressed \$A f.o.b. or its equivalent at port of shipment; value of imports is "transaction value" \$A f.o.b. or "domestic value" \$A f.o.b. at port of shipment, whichever is the higher.

The values of export items include the values of outside packages (containers and crates). For imports the value of outside packages is recorded as a separate item.

All values in this issue are expressed in decimal currency (\$2=£1). Any discrepancies between totals and sums of components are due to rounding.

TABLE 1 - QUANTITIES OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES EXPORTED : SOUTH AUSTRALIA

Principal Commodities	Unit	December	December	Six Months Ended	
		1964	1965	31st December	
				1964	1965
<u>Foodstuffs, alcoholic liquors, tobacco</u>					
Butter	'000 lb.	-	47	385	362
Cheese	'000 lb.	2,525	3,112	11,377	11,934
Flour (incl. semolina)	ton	8,841	3,842	40,916	32,538
Fruit, Dried - Currants	'000 lb.	320	426	4,685	4,274
Raisins	'000 lb.	833	1,696	14,584	18,659
Other	'000 lb.	94	474	1,978	3,718
Fresh - Apples	case	-	-	10,605	5,103
Preserved and pulped	'000 lb.	1,329	4,309	13,572	24,481
Grain - Barley	'000 bush.	20	277	852	1,381
Bran and pollard	'000 bush.	45	9	573	45
Oats	'000 bush.	8	6	116	114
Wheat	'000 bush.	1,775	4,746	5,652	15,808
Meat - Beef	'000 lb.	282	521	3,019	3,053
Lamb	'000 lb.	1,932	562	9,238	6,680
Peas (incl. split peas)	cental	2,206	5,879	43,899	48,134
Spirituous liquors	pf gal.	6,725	3,097	41,347	39,109
Wine	'000 gal.	135	73	1,009	996
<u>Animal and vegetable substances</u> (not foodstuffs)					
Tallow	cwt	13,658	4,943	86,431	67,380
Wool - Greasy	'000 lb.	16,484	19,215	84,348	98,036
Other	'000 lb.	829	1,280	5,969	7,487
<u>Minerals, metals &amp; metal manufactures</u>					
Minerals - Gypsum	'000 cwt	167	317	2,181	1,651
Concentrates and ores -					
Copper	'000 cwt	101	104	296	268
Lead and silver-lead	'000 cwt	-	199	690	817
Zinc	'000 cwt	80	242	1,834	1,757
Metals & metal manufactures -					
Iron and steel scrap	'000 cwt	191	105	1,005	175
Lead (pig)	'000 cwt	226	206	1,477	1,581

- Nil or less than half final digit.



TABLE 2 - VALUE OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES EXPORTED : SOUTH AUSTRALIA

Principal Commodities	December	December	Six Months Ended	
	1964	1965	31st December	
			1964	1965
	\$'000			
<u>Foodstuffs, alcoholic liquors, tobacco</u>				
Butter	-	22	117	117
Cheese	507	621	2,248	2,242
Fish (incl. crayfish)	40	381	138	755
Flour (incl. semolina)	587	240	2,805	2,004
Fruit, Dried - Currants	43	56	622	590
Raisins	116	236	2,113	2,796
Other	24	112	565	1,025
Fresh - Apples	-	-	36	11
Other	107	61	507	728
Juices and syrups	6	5	253	20
Preserved and pulped	161	492	1,606	2,791
Grain - Barley	22	325	935	1,525
Bran and pollard	17	3	184	17
Oats	9	6	104	103
Wheat	2,710	6,564	8,895	22,148
Honey	9	9	35	52
Meat - Beef	75	145	828	860
Lamb	331	102	1,571	1,160
Other	171	219	886	1,026
Peas (incl. split peas)	11	33	199	247
Spirituous liquors	36	19	183	183
Wine	306	116	1,766	1,572
<u>Animal and vegetable substances</u> (not foodstuffs)				
Hides and skins	858	942	5,302	4,680
Tallow	107	48	634	582
Wool - Greasy	8,529	9,680	44,157	45,754
Other	692	954	5,006	5,410
<u>Minerals, metals, &amp; metal manufactures</u>				
Minerals -				
Gypsum	43	73	578	417
Concentrates and ores -				
Copper	840	1,063	2,379	2,549
Lead and silver-lead	-	1,774	6,371	7,441
Zinc	279	814	7,289	5,792
Metals and metal manufactures -				
Iron and steel scrap	289	211	1,344	367
Lead (pig)	3,484	2,864	18,938	20,137
Machinery and vehicles	811	1,819	6,798	7,857
Other metals & metal manufactures	542	440	4,690	4,125
<u>Miscellaneous</u>				
Paints, drugs, chemicals, plastics	42	53	334	246
Salt	90	59	400	352
All other	311	467	2,932	3,585
TOTAL EXPORTS	22,207	31,027	133,749	151,264

- Nil or less than \$500



TABLE 3 - VALUE OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES IMPORTED : SOUTH AUSTRALIA

Principal Commodities	December	December	Six Months Ended	
	1964	1965	31st December	
			1964	1965

- Nil or less than \$500

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